Arnold E. Klemensen

Arnold E. Klemensen, 54, Mansfield died at the University of Minnesota Hospital July 21. The funeral was held at the United Methodist Church, Groton, Saturday, July 25, with the Rev. Donald Geiman, Conde, officiating. Burial was in Groton Union Cemetery with military rites by the Groton American Legion Post.

A prayer service was held at the Paetznick Garness Funeral Chapel

Friday.

Arnold Edward Klemensen was born October 1, 1937, at Verdon. His parents were Martin and Mary (Sparling) Klemensen. He grew up in the Verdon/Conde area and graduated from Conde High School in 1956.



He then enlisted in the United States Air Force and served in England for four years. After his discharge he returned to South Dakota and worked as a farm laborer. For the past three years he has lived in the Warner/Mansfield area and was the owner of the Hangout Bar in Mansfield. He was a member of the Methodist Church and a former member of the American Legion. He lived in Brown County most of his life.

He is survived by his father and his step mother, Martin and Thelma Klemensen, Mason City, Iowa. One brother, Junior Martin Klemensen, Florence; and one sister, Mrs. Alex (Anna Mae) Milnar, Mount Ida, Ark.,

and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his mother and an infant brother.

Casketbearers were Clair Cowan, Lyle Krueger, Mark Guthmiller, Jon

Klemensen, Bill Schnoor, and William Tewksbury.

The organist was Lois Krueger and pianist was Cheryl Tewksbury. The soloist was Loren Siefken. The usher was Earl Ruden.